

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:20-cv-00442-APM**

EDDINGTON v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
Assigned to: Judge Amit P. Mehta  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 02/14/2020  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
02/14/2020	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number ADCDC-6832428) filed by PATRICK EDDINGTON. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>3</u> Summons)(Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 02/14/2020)
02/14/2020	<u>2</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Joshua Hart Burday on behalf of PATRICK EDDINGTON (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 02/14/2020)
02/14/2020	<u>3</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Matthew Topic on behalf of PATRICK EDDINGTON (Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 02/14/2020)
02/14/2020		Case Assigned to Judge Amit P. Mehta. (adh, ) (Entered: 02/14/2020)

02/14/2020	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(adh, ) (Entered: 02/14/2020)
03/25/2020	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE served on 2/24/2020 (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 03/25/2020)
03/25/2020	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 2/27/2020. (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 03/25/2020)
03/25/2020	<u>7</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 2/26/2020. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 3/27/2020. (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 03/25/2020)
03/27/2020	<u>8</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Daniel Patrick Schaefer on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (Schaefer, Daniel) (Entered: 03/27/2020)
03/27/2020	<u>9</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re <u>1</u> Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Schaefer, Daniel) (Entered: 03/27/2020)
03/30/2020		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>9</u> Defendant's Consent Motion for Extension of Time. Defendant's deadline to answer the complaint is extended until April 27, 2020. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 03/30/2020. (lcamp2) (Entered: 03/30/2020)
03/30/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 4/27/2020. (zjd) (Entered: 03/30/2020)
04/27/2020	<u>10</u>	MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re <u>1</u> Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Schaefer, Daniel) (Entered: 04/27/2020)
04/28/2020	<u>11</u>	ORDER granting <u>10</u> Motion for Extension of Time. Defendant shall file its motion to dismiss on or before June 10, 2020; Plaintiff shall file his opposition on or before July 10, 2020; and Defendant shall file its reply on or before July 31, 2020. See attached Order for further details. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 04/28/2020. (lcamp2) (Entered: 04/28/2020)
04/28/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Motion to Dismiss due by 6/10/2020. Opposition due by 7/10/2020. Reply due by 7/31/2020. (zjd) (Entered: 04/29/2020)
06/10/2020	<u>12</u>	MOTION for Summary Judgment by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support, # <u>2</u> Exhibit A, # <u>3</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Schaefer, Daniel) (Entered: 06/10/2020)
07/07/2020	<u>13</u>	Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Briefing Schedule</i> by PATRICK EDDINGTON (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 07/07/2020)